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Left in Four Northwestern States; Gain \$25,000,000 Value Since Election

SEED IS EXCLUDED

Much of Spring Wheat Stored in Elevators Still Owned by Farmers

Minneapolis, Dec. 19.—Crops yet to be hauled to elevators and sold by farmers in the four northwestern states were valued by Minneapolis grain men at not less than \$139,000,000 on the farm, or \$25,000,000 more than the same number of bushels could have been sold for on election day.

This figure is an estimate derived from data of several grain firms and results of a survey of 1,600 elevators in the northwest by E. R. Duran, publisher of the Grain Bulletin, submitted recently to the Northwest Regional Advisory Board. The figure excludes that part of the crop to be fed or to be used for seed and that of now in elevators in the ownership of farmers.

The Duran survey shows that December 1 there were 127,020,000 bushels of grain on the farms of North and South Dakota, Minnesota and Montana still to be hauled to market. It also showed 48,000,000 bushels in the elevators.

A survey of its own elevators by the Monarch Elevator Company indicated 50 per cent of the spring wheat in country elevators is owned by farmers, 25 per cent of the durum and 7 per cent of the flax. It also indicated that 25 per cent of the barley in Minnesota is still on the farms and 38 per cent in North Dakota, 13 per cent of the rice in Minnesota and 12 per cent in North Dakota, 26 per cent of spring wheat. (Continued on page 6)

NEW LOANS TO HELP DIVERSE FARMING, PLAN

C. T. Jaffray to Call Meeting of Directors of Agricultural Corporation

WOULD LOAN \$500,000

Minneapolis, Dec. 19.—Determined that promotion of diversified farming in the Northwest shall continue, C. T. Jaffray, chairman of the Agricultural Credit Corporation, announced today that he will recommend to directors that another \$500,000 be advanced during 1925 for purchase of dairy cattle and sheep and their distribution among Northwest farmers.

Mr. Jaffray said he would call a meeting of the corporation's board of directors for some day between December 25 and January 1 and recommend that the board instruct the executive staff to complete its organization program by extending a balance of the \$1,000,000 appropriation voted last June as farmers' loans for purchase of cattle and sheep.

The corporation has employed about \$500,000 of the appropriation in its 1924 mixed farming operations, which resulted in distribution of more than 4,000 cattle and 20,000 sheep. Mr. Jaffray said the corporation's bank relief program has been completed and that if conditions continue on their present improved basis the necessary remaining work among banks will consist of collecting the loans extended throughout the Northwest. The corporation's credit extension to banks totals around \$5,000,000.

DICKINSON TO SUPPORT PLAN FOR BIG PARK

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 19.—Plans to get solidly behind the promotion of the Roosevelt Memorial park in the Bad Lands and a federal road project through the north country including a bridge across the Little Missouri river near Grassy Butte, were made at a recent meeting of the directors of the Dickinson Association. Pres. F. P. Whitney named as a committee to formulate plans and cooperate with other organizations of the Slope in putting the project across the following: Dr. V. H. Stickney, chairman; Alfred White, W. W. Stackhouse, E. D. Peck and Leroy Moomaw.

LARGEST OF SUPPLY BILLS IS PRESENTED

Measure Carries Over Three-Quarters of a Billion Dollars Appropriation

FOR TWO ACTIVITIES

\$11,000,000 Is Recommended for the Enforcement of Prohibition

Washington, Dec. 19.—The largest peace time supply bill ever presented to Congress—a measure carrying more than three quarters of a billion dollars for treasury and post-office activities during the coming fiscal year was reported today by the House appropriations committee. The total is \$743,840,000, or \$11,800,611 more than for the current year, but approximately \$12,000,000 less than budget estimates.

Of the combined total \$126,911,107 would go to the Treasury and \$636,929,415 to the post office department.

Included in the Treasury item is \$11,000,000 for enforcement of prohibition. \$783,120 more than recommended in the budget, but \$411,750 less than the total available this year.

In addition the bill carries \$20,557,835 for the coast guard which is now being used to prevent liquor smuggling.

POSTPONE RESOLUTION

Washington, Dec. 19.—Action on the resolution of Senator King, Democrat, Utah, for an inquiry into the status of the American Navy was postponed indefinitely today by the Senate Naval committee.

After more than two hours debate today of the executive committee, however, Chairman Hale was authorized to obtain comprehensive data from the Navy Department bearing on the charges made by the Utah Senator.

ROB BANKS, FIRE TOWN

Burglars Escape in Texas With Two 4,000 Pound Safes

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 19.—Bank robbers set fire to the town of Valley View early today after wrecking a state and national bank and carrying away two safes.

The banks were the First National and the Guaranty, and the business session was wiped out by the fire. No accurate estimate of their loss could be obtained at first but the fire damage was estimated at \$100,000. The safes weighed 1,000 pounds each.

VICTIM OF ACCIDENT DIES

Walter Gossard Succumbs in Mandan Hospital

Mandan, N. D., Dec. 19.—Walter Gossard, 56, single, died in a local hospital very suddenly Thursday afternoon of injuries sustained November 20 when he slipped from the seat on a well drilling outfit being hauled on the road and was run over by the heavy rig. Although apparently recovering from bodily injuries blood clots worked their way through channels to his heart and lungs, shutting off circulation.

Gossard had been in Morton county near 20 years. The body will be taken to Corning, Iowa, for burial.

Barber Held For Arson Freed

Minot, N. D., Dec. 19.—E. H. Breeding, former Parshall, N. D., barber, arrested in Minot Dec. 3 for arson, in connection with the burning of three buildings at Parshall several weeks ago, was exonerated at a preliminary hearing at Stanley on Monday, according to J. D. Stenson of Bismarck, deputy state marshal, who was in Minot recently.

PLENTY OF OPPORTUNITY OFFERED FOR SERVICE BY "GOOD FELLOWS"

TYPICAL CASE



Here's the kind of a kiddie the "Good Fellows" of Bismarck will help at Christmas time.

NORTH DAKOTA FUR BURGLARY IS CLEARED UP

Two Minneapolis Detectives Find Furs and Arrest Three Suspects

Minneapolis, Dec. 19.—Two Minneapolis detectives solved a \$10,000 Wahpeton burglary, recovered the stolen property, arrested three men, charged them with the crime and started them back to Wahpeton jail, all in a few hours, police reported today.

The Boston Fur Store at Wahpeton was raided the night of December 3 and the burglars loaded \$10,000 in women's fur coats into a truck and drove toward the Twin Cities. Detectives Michael Duffy and James Levens began a search for the furs and finally located a cache of goods in a dwelling near here. Three men found there were arrested and gave names as Mike Gilbert, James Kelly and James Ryan. They were charged with burglary in the first degree, signed a statement, agreed to wait extradition and were turned over to Sheriff McMichael of Richland county, North Dakota.

DRY AGENTS ARE CHARGED

Declared Guilty of Shooting Illinois Man

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Belief that four men who killed Homer Finch, former mayor of Illinois, grain dealer, a week ago, in his saloon at Chicago Ridge, were federal prohibition agents and not as federal authorities maintain, high hikers posing as officers, was expressed by Sheriff Peter Hoffman today, as plans were being made to bring the entire force of agents before a federal grand jury.

Finch, witness of the shooting of about the face and hands Monday afternoon, Mr. Crawford said that he had never done the same thing before and believes that there must have been some gasoline mixed with the old oil, as the flames shot upward to the ceiling of the shop when the refuse was ignited. The burns are now healing rapidly and Mr. Crawford is congratulating himself that the results were not serious.

OFFICIAL'S PAY NOT DEPENDENT ON SERVICE, LEGAL OPINION SAYS

The pay of a public official is not dependent on the service he performs, the opinion of the attorney-general has ruled, in advising Carl Hilberg of Barton, a county commissioner of Pierce county, that the board has no authority to instruct the county auditor to deduct 60 days' pay from the salary of the county superintendent.

Call For Ten More Is Issued By Community Organization, Which Hopes to Have Every Needy Family Supplied with Christmas Cheer

There's still opportunity for service by "Good Fellows" in Bismarck. A call for about ten more "Good Fellows" was issued today by the committee of the Community Christmas organization. The "Good Fellows" ought to respond in the next two days, so that this important division of the Community Christmas effort will be finished. They may call Miss Gashel at the Red Cross office.

That the Christmas spirit is abroad in Bismarck is evidenced by the response already made. Over 20 "Good Fellows" already have volunteered to take care of families, and each has been given one family. Christmas baskets are to be delivered personally by the "Good Fellows."

Although about 35 families have been listed for aid at Christmas time through the Community Christmas organization, and 36 children in these families will feel the touch of kindly Bismarck, it is not all.

About ten more families are on the list, their names having received in the last few days, and any "Good Fellow" wanting to find a place to bring lots of Christmas cheer may easily do so. These families have from five to eleven children—there are 11 youngsters in the largest family, and unless some "Good Fellow" makes it possible the Christmas cheer may be lacking. Some of the distressing circumstances found by investigators results from temporary unemployment and sickness.

MINE WORKERS OFFICIAL IS LABOR'S HEAD

William Green Is Elected President to Succeed the Late Samuel Gompers

IS NATIVE OF OHIO

New York, Dec. 19.—William Green of Ohio was today elected president of the American Federation of Labor. James P. Numan, president of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, was elected eighth vice-president of the executive council, filling the vacancy caused by Green's death.

Mr. Green, who has been Secretary-Treasurer of the Mine Workers of America since 1912 is free to accept this office. This is taken to indicate that John L. Lewis will continue in his present position as president of the Mine Workers and is no longer a Cabinet possibility. Mr. Green is 51 years old, a native Ohioan, a product of the Ohio coal fields and is a former president of the Ohio State senate. He has been a labor leader in his native Ohio, where he is a member of the American Academy of Political Science and of the Baptist church. He has been Vice-President of the American Federation of Labor since 1912 and has a strong personal following.

Oil Explodes, Worker Burned

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Snow and sleet generally was forecast for the Great Lakes Region, the Upper Mississippi Valley and portions of the Southwest.

Death stalked in the wake of the cold as it extended its scope, wire communication in many sections was interrupted and trains delayed.

Three died in the Rocky Mountain region, one was reported dead in Oklahoma and two were dead in Chicago from causes attributable to cold, ice and snow. Injuries were numerous to falls on the ice in farms, or accidents. Possibly thousands of deer north of the Grand Canyon in Arizona, which refused to be herded to greener pastures on the southside of the Canyon were reported perishing as vegetation failed.

N. P. Train Derailed
The extreme cold in Montana on the northern Pacific, caused the derailment of three Pullmans, but no injuries resulted. Wire communication in the Plains states was seriously affected. Telephone lines between Oklahoma City and other points were cut off, and telegraph service impaired. More than 2,000 telephones and telegraph poles were reported down in the state; more than 150 towns were cut off. Jefferson City, Missouri's capital, was virtually isolated, and wires between St. Louis and Kansas City were crippled and all central Missouri was similarly affected.

A crust of snow and ice several inches thick covered Kansas and western Missouri and temperatures were being driven downward in Oklahoma, Arkansas and Texas.

CITIES ISOLATED

Telegraph communication was badly handicapped in Illinois as lower temperatures heralded the zero point moving eastward. Jacksonville and Springfield were completely cut off from the outside by wire and the Associated Press was compelled to resign to routing its news. Interurban service was abandoned last night in parts of the storm area. Trains coming into Chicago from the Northwest were in some cases eight to 10 hours late, causing delay in transmission of the late holiday mail. Icy sidewalks and streets caused two deaths and skull fractures in Chicago. Many of the injured were policemen. The hazard was not expected to be reduced in today's continued cold.

COLDEST OF WINTER

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The barometric "High" still covers the Plains States and Rocky Mountain region, but lower pressure has appeared in extreme Northwest. The temperature was 44 degrees below zero at Miles City this morning and abnormally low temperatures prevail in Wyoming, Utah and Nevada; Lander, Wyo. reported the lowest temperature ever recorded in December. Temperatures are rising considerably from northern Montana northward. Generally fair weather prevails over the Northwest, but precipitation occurred over the southern Plains States, Mississippi Valley and Great Lakes region. Heavy snowfall occurred in Oklahoma, Missouri and in the Great Lakes region.

CROPS WORTH \$139,000,000 YET ON FARMS

Left in Four Northwestern
States; Gain \$25,000,000
Value Since Election

SEED IS EXCLUDED

Much of Spring Wheat Stored
in Elevators Still Owned
By Farmers

Minneapolis, Dec. 19.—Crops yet to be hauled to elevators and sold by farmers in the four northwest states were valued by Minneapolis grain men at not less than \$139,000,000 on the farm, or \$25,000,000 more than the same number of bushels could have been sold for an election day.

This figure is an estimate derived from data of several grain firms and results of a survey of 4,000 elevators in the northwest by F. R. Durant, publisher of the Grain Bulletin, submitted recently to the Northwest Regional Advisory Board. The figure excludes that part of the crop to be fed or to be used for seed and of that now in elevators in the ownership of farmers.

The Durant survey shows that December 1 there were 127,000,000 bushels of grain on the farms of North and South Dakota, Minnesota and Montana still to be hauled to market. It also showed 48,000,000 bushels in the elevators.

A survey of its own elevators by the Monarch Elevator Company indicated 50 per cent of the spring wheat in country elevators is owned by farmers, 25 per cent of the durum and 7 per cent of the flax. It also indicated that 23 per cent of the barley in Minnesota is still on the farms and 38 per cent in North Dakota, 13 per cent of the rye in Minnesota and 12 per cent in North Dakota, 26 per cent of spring wheat. (Continued on page 6)

NEW LOANS TO HELP DIVERSE FARMING, PLAN

C. T. Jaffray to Call Meeting
of Directors of Agricultural Corporation

WOULD LOAN \$500,000

Minneapolis, Dec. 19.—Determined that promotion of diversified farming in the Northwest shall continue, C. T. Jaffray, chairman of the Agricultural Credit Corporation, announced today that he had called a meeting of the directors of the corporation to discuss the plan to advance during 1925 for purchase of dairy cattle and sheep and their distribution among Northwest farmers.

Mr. Jaffray said he would call a meeting of the corporation's board of directors for some day between December 25 and January 1 and recommend that the board instruct the executive staff to complete its organization program by extending a balance of the \$1,000,000 appropriation voted last June as farmers' loans for purchase of cattle and sheep.

The corporation has employed about \$500,000 of the appropriation in its 1924 mixed farming operations, which resulted in distribution of more than 4,000 cattle and 30,000 sheep. Mr. Jaffray said the corporation's bank credit program has been completed and that if conditions continue on their present improved basis the necessary remaining work among banks will consist of collecting the loans extended throughout the Northwest. The corporation's credit extension to banks totals around \$5,000,000.

DICKINSON TO SUPPORT PLAN FOR BIG PARK

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 19.—Plans to get solidly behind the promotion of the Roosevelt Memorial park in the Bad Lands and a federal road project through the north country indicated by a bridge across the Little Missouri river near Grassy Butte, were made at a recent meeting of the directors of the Dickinson Association. Pres. F. P. Whitney named as a committee to formulate plans and cooperate with other organizations of the State across the project across the following: Dr. V. H. Stickney, chairman, Alfred White, W. W. Stackhouse, E. D. Peck and Leroy Moomaw.

The building of federal aid road into the north country and the construction of a bridge across the Little Missouri river would not only provide a route to Williston and connection with the Roosevelt highway but open up a wide trade territory to the north for Dickinson and Killdeer. Besides it would give easy access to beauty spots in the Bad Lands to the north.

LARGEST OF SUPPLY BILLS IS PRESENTED

Measure Carries Over Three-
Quarters of a Billion Dol-
lars Appropriation

FOR TWO ACTIVITIES

\$11,000,000 Is Recommended
For the Enforcement
of Prohibition

Washington, Dec. 19.—The largest peace-time supply bill ever presented to Congress—a measure carrying more than three quarters of a billion dollars for treasury and post-office activities during the coming fiscal year was reported today by the House appropriations committee. The total is \$763,180,522, or \$11,800,514 more than for the current year, but approximately \$12,000,000 less than budget estimates. Of the combined total \$126,911,107 would go to the Treasury and \$636,269,415 to the post office department.

Included in the Treasury item is \$11,000,000 for enforcement of prohibition—\$783,120 more than recommended in the budget, but \$341,770 less than the total available this year. In addition the bill carries \$29,567,335 for the coast guard which is now being used to prevent liquor smuggling.

Among the postoffice department items is \$2,600,000 for a transfer of continental air mail service—\$150,000 less than the amount granted for this year.

OIL COMMISSION NAMED

Washington, Dec. 19.—An oil conservation board consisting of the Secretaries of War, Navy, Interior and Commerce was created today by President Coolidge. The board will study the government's responsibilities in oil conservation and will seek the full cooperation of the oil industry to that end.

POSTPONE RESOLUTION

Washington, Dec. 19.—Action on the resolution of Senator King, Democrat, Utah, for an inquiry into the status of the American Navy was postponed indefinitely today by the Senate Naval committee.

After more than two hours debate today of the executive committee, however, Chairman Hale was authorized to obtain comprehensive data from the Navy Department bearing on the charges made by the Utah Senator.

ROB BANKS, FIRE TOWN

Burglars Escape in Texas
With Two 4,000 Pound
Safes

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 19.—Bank robbers set fire to the town of Valley View early today after wrecking a state and national bank and carrying away two safes.

Bank robbers were the First National and the Guaranty, and the business session was wiped out by the fire. No accurate estimate of their loss could be obtained at first but the fire damage was estimated at \$100,000. The safes weighed 4,000 pounds each.

VICTIM OF ACCIDENT DIES

Walter Gossard Succumbs in
Mandan Hospital

Mandan, N. D., Dec. 19.—Walter Gossard, 55, single, died in a local hospital very suddenly Thursday afternoon of injuries sustained November 30 when he slipped from the seat on a well drilling outfit being hauled on the road and was run over by the heavy rig. Although apparently recovering from bodily injuries blood clots worked their way through channels to his heart and lungs, shutting off circulation.

Gossard had been in Morton county near 20 years. The body will be taken to Corning, Iowa, for burial.

Barber Held For Arson Freed

Minot, N. D., Dec. 19.—E. H. Brewington, former Parshall, N. D. barber, arrested in Minot Dec. 3 for arson, in connection with the burning of three buildings at Parshall several weeks ago, was exonerated at a preliminary hearing at Stanley on Monday, according to J. D. Stenson of Bismarck, deputy state marshal, who was in Minot recently.

The prosecution contended the fire had been set to collect insurance, but Justice Wilson held the state had failed to establish this motive through testimony introduced.

PLENTY OF OPPORTUNITY OFFERED FOR SERVICE BY "GOOD FELLOWS"

TYPICAL CASE



Here's the kind of a kiddie the "Good Fellows" of Bismarck will help at Christmas time.

NORTH DAKOTA FUR BURGLARY IS CLEARED UP

Two Minneapolis Detectives
Find Furs and Arrest
Three Suspects

Minneapolis, Dec. 19.—Two Minneapolis detectives solved a \$10,000 Wapeton burglary, recovered the stolen property, arrested three men, charged them with the crime and started them back to Wapeton jail, all in a few hours, police reported today.

The Boston Fur Store at Wapeton was raided the night of December 3 and the burglars loaded \$10,000 in women's fur coats into a truck and drove toward the Twin Cities. Detectives Michael Duffy and James Levens began a search for the furs and finally located a cache of goods in a dwelling near here. Three men found there were arrested and gave names as Mike Gilbert, James Kelly and James Ryan. They were charged with burglary in the first degree, signed a statement, agreed to wait extradition and were turned over to Sheriff McMichael of Richland county, North Dakota.

DRY AGENTS ARE CHARGED

Declared Guilty of Shooting
Illinois Man

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Belief that four men who killed Homer Finch, former Joy, Illinois, grain dealer, a week ago, in his saloon at Chicago Ridge, were federal prohibition agents and not, as federal authorities maintain, high jackers posing as officers, was expressed by Sheriff Peter Hoffman today, as plans were being made to bring the entire force of agents before Cole Finch, witness of the shooting of his father.

WORKSHIP BINOCULARS

Cairo, Dec. 18.—A pair of binoculars, left behind by a party of explorers, had been set up as sort of a fetish by a native tribe in the jungles of Sudan, according to a recent report. The binoculars, probably found by some superstitious native, had been placed on the branch of a tree as an idol.

OFFICIAL'S PAY NOT DEPENDENT ON SERVICE, LEGAL OPINION SAYS

The pay of a public official in North Dakota is incident title of the office and does not depend on service performed, the Attorney-General's office has ruled, in advising Carl Hilberg of Burt, a county commissioner of Pierce county, that the board has no authority to instruct the county auditor to deduct 60 days pay from the salary of the county superintendent.

As county commissioner of Pierce county you advise that the superintendent of schools during the recent summer went to California on a pleasure trip and stayed for almost three months, during which time he drew salary; that the county commissioners have instructed the county auditor to refuse the salary warrant for two months for the reason the board thought it was not

Call For Ten More Is Issued
By Community Organization,
Which Hopes to Have
Every Needy Family Sup-
plied with Christmas Cheer

There's still opportunity for service by "Good Fellows" in Bismarck. A call for about ten more "Good Fellows" was issued today by the committee of the Community Christmas organization. The "Good Fellows" ought to respond in the next two days, so that this important division of the Community Christmas effort will be finished. They may call Miss Goshel at the Red Cross office.

That the Christmas spirit is abroad in Bismarck is evidenced by the response already made. Over 20 "Good Fellows" already have volunteered to take care of families, and each has been given one family. Christmas baskets are to be delivered personally by the "Good Fellows."

Altogether about 55 families have been listed for aid at Christmas time through the Community Christmas organization, and 86 children in these families will feel the touch of kindly Bismarck hearts.

About ten more families are on the list, their names being received in the last few days, and any "Good Fellow" wanting to find a place to bring lots of Christmas cheer may easily do so. These families have from five to eleven children—there are 11 youngsters in the largest family, and unless some "Good Fellow" makes it possible the Christmas cheer may be lacking. Some of the distressing circumstances found by investigators results from temporary unemployment and sickness.

MINE WORKERS OFFICIAL IS LABOR'S HEAD

William Green Is Elected
President to Succeed the
Late Samuel Gompers

IS NATIVE OF OHIO

New York, Dec. 19.—William Green of Ohio was today elected president of the American Federation of Labor. James P. Noonan, president of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, was elected eighth vice president on the executive committee, filling the vacancy caused by Green's election.

Mr. Green, who has been Secretary-Treasurer of the Mine Workers of America since 1912, is free to accept this office. This is taken to indicate that John L. Lewis will continue in his present position as president of the Mine Workers and is no longer a Cabinet possibility. Mr. Green is 51 years old, a native Ohioan, a product of the Ohio coal fields and is a former president of the Ohio state senate. His home is Coshocton, Ohio. He is a Mason, Elk, and Odd Fellow, a member of the American Academy of Political Science and of the Baptist church. He has been Vice-President of the American Federation of Labor since 1913 and has a strong personal following.

Oil Explodes, Worker Burned

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 19.—When oil which he had drained from a tank case at his battery shop exploded as he poured it into a stove along with other refuse from a coal hod, R. T. Crawford was badly burned about the face and hands Monday afternoon. Mr. Crawford said that he had often done the same thing and that he had never been hurt. He said he had been told that there must have been some gasoline mixed with the old oil, as the flames shot upward to the ceiling of the shop when the refuse was ignited. The burns are now healing rapidly and Mr. Crawford is congratulating himself that the results were not serious.

THREE MEET DEATH

Denver, Dec. 19.—With temperatures still sinking the Rocky Mountain Region today was settling down for an endurance contest with the cold. Entering the fifth day of stinging cold Colorado joined with Montana in bearing the brunt of the storm. Early today the mercury in Denver had skidded to 10 below zero. One death, a man who went for a barefoot midnight walk, was charged to the cold in Denver, while a mother and her two sons were sent to the general hospital for injuries received when frozen pipes of a coal stove exploded.

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DEATHS ADDED TO LISTS FROM COLD WEATHER

Some Parts of Northwest
Still Held in Icy Grip,
Now Relenting

N. P. TRAIN IS DERAILED

Caused by Cold Weather in
Montana. But no Dam-
age Results

Chicago, Dec. 19.—(By the A. P.)—The middle west today was added to the domain of storm and cold that for five days has held the Northwest and Rocky Mountain region in icy grip.

Snow and sleet generally was forecast for the Great Lakes Region, the Upper Mississippi Valley and portions of the Southwest.

Death stalked in its scope, wire communication in many sections was interrupted and trains delayed.

Three died in the Rocky Mountain region, one was reported dead in Oklahoma and two were dead in Chicago from causes attributable to cold, ice and snow. Injuries were numerous to falls on the ice, in fires, or accidents. Possibly thousands of deer north of the Grand Canyon in Arizona, which refused to be herded to greener pastures on the south side of the Canyon were reported perishing as vegetation failed.

N. P. Train Derailed

The extreme cold in Montana on the northern Pacific, caused the derailment of three Pullmans, but no injuries resulted. Wire communication in the state was seriously affected. Telephone lines between Oklahoma City and other points were cut off and telegraph service impaired. More than 2,000 telephone and telegraph poles were reported down in the state; more than 135 towns were cut off. Jefferson City, Missouri's capital, was virtually isolated, and wires between St. Louis and Kansas City were crippled and all central Missouri was similarly affected.

A crust of snow and ice several inches thick covered Kansas and western Missouri and temperatures were being driven down in Oklahoma, Arkansas and Texas.

Cities Isolated

Telegraph communication was badly handicapped in Illinois as lowering temperatures heralded the zero blast moving eastward. Jacksonville and Springfield were completely cut off from the outside by wire delay. The Associated Press was compelled to resort to radio-casting its news.

Interurban service was abandoned last night in parts of the storm area. Trains coming into Chicago from the Northwest were in some cases eight to 10 hours late, causing delay in transmission of the late holiday mail, icy sidewalks and streets caused two deaths and skull fractures in Chicago. Many of the injured were policemen. The hazard was not expected to be reduced in today's continued cold.

COLDEST OF WINTER

Kansas City, Dec. 19.—The Southwest awoke this morning to find the coldest weather of the winter, with no relief in sight. The mercury stood below the zero point in many points in Kansas and Missouri and Oklahoma.

Train service was delayed on virtually all roads.

L. F. Penneck, 66, died in a hospital at Enid, Oklahoma, from exposure. He left his home in Kremlin, Oklahoma, Monday and became lost in a snow drift. His body, partly frozen, was found yesterday.

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To Correspondent

FARM PROBLEM VIEW

Holds That Some Legislation
Must Be Enacted For
Benefit of Farmers

(By Charles H. Cheney, reported
from Minneapolis, Minn.)

Washington, Dec. 17.—(By telegraph.)—Thomas Hall, newly elected congressman from the second district of North Dakota, gave his views on the farm problem to a correspondent of this paper.

"North Dakota is rapidly coming back to her own," Mr. Hall said. "I am one of the few men to participate in the short session of congress, being elected to fill a vacancy in the second district of North Dakota, and also for the long term."

Reflects Confidence in Coolidge. "North Dakota, by giving its electoral vote to Coolidge and Daves, has broken away from the hands of the state's political and economic records of the last six years had, unfortunately, fastened upon it."

"One positive reason for this change in sentiment in the state was the conviction, finally reached by farmers, that President Coolidge had shown sincere interest in the farmers' welfare, and that this plan of agricultural restoration, as outlined in his previous addresses, was deemed to be the most practical and efficient program that had been proposed."

"Confidence also in the President as an individual, and in his wise leadership, gave a further impetus to the decision in his favor. His subsequent views as expressed in his message to congress, and in his recent address at Chicago, have clinched the opinion, with our farmers, that better agricultural conditions are assured in the future, and that the President is a trusted leader for this great nation."

Daves' Plan Praised

"The Daves' plan of settlement of the reparations disputes in Europe, and the results that followed were particularly favorable to North Dakota, which had a large grain crop this year, and the increased price for wheat and other grain has been reflected in the payment of interest, taxes and other indebtedness, and are greatly encouraged for the future. The banks have also repaid millions of dollars in loans to the reserve banks, and to other banking institutions outside our state. In short, the payment of debts incurred in grain business has wiped out the feelings of resentment and discouragement that had accumulated in the last three years. It has infused new hope and courage to the farmers throughout the north west."

"North Dakota today is coming back to her own, with a remarkable record of grain production in this one year. Her lands still are the most valuable of securities for loans, and with the prospect of economy in state and local expenditures, and a less burden of taxation, as especially advised by the President, the state is destined to retain a leadership in all the agricultural states of the Union for the production of wealth."

Problems Can Be Solved

"The reconstruction of the group of farm organizations heads, which met at Chicago December 1, regarding legislation to be urged upon congress, should have great weight and, if put into effect, will add national confidence to agriculture as a paying business of operation. 'Equity in agriculture,' in national legislation is a cornerstone for renewed business prosperity, not only of the farmers but for every other industry that depends on the farmers in their successful requirements."

"The farm problems are complex, but not insoluble, and if congress will meet the farmers half way, in a square deal, with the same effective, protective legislation that the manufacturers have been given, the rest will follow in a natural course of procedure."

"Although a new man and an untired member, I hope to be able to impress on my fellow congressmen the absolute need of enacting into law whatever advice or recommendations come from the President, as we in North Dakota have the utmost confidence in his sagacity and friendship."

"To overcome the accumulated resentment and memories of farm losses both of land and property, in the last three years in North Dakota, to defeat the well organized political opposition to the president, which had as a background a formidable protection strength, to ease the result of many years of fixed preference and belief in the personal policies and public views of Senator La Follette, the chief opponent of the president in North Dakota, a radically inclined state, was in my opinion, the outstanding achievement of the national election."

Indebted to Friends

"If we can 'carry on' this part in progressive advancement, by a similar change in the restoration of our internal state affairs, during the next two years, North Dakota surely will be indebted to her loyal friends, both in and out of the state. Our newly elected state officials, headed by Governor Sorlie, I am told, promise to do their share towards this desired end, and we hope the incom-

Here's Proof of Ja pan's Aerial Hopes



Here is proof that Japan is striving to become a great power. These are just a few of hundreds of new planes, the army has bought. They are the first world in our air, not (Himay and dilapidated) like in my (Himay's) family. The planes shown in the picture are a significant part of the military power of the Japanese empire.

THERE'S MANY A SLIP



As the names of this large stock exchange, champagne and whiskey bond to their sons, when prohibition agents raided an old bowling alley, an old-fashioned steamship ticket office in New York. The value is valued at \$50,000.

MANY WOMEN WILL TAKE PLACES IN LEGISLATURES OF MIDDLE WESTERN STATES DURING COMING SESSIONS

Varied Legislation Favored
By Women Members, Who
Come From Various Walks
of Life—North Dakota
Furnishes Two Women
Members of the Legislature

Chicago, Dec. 18.—As varied as the legislation favored by the women members of the legislatures of the middle western states during the coming sessions, so varied are the women themselves. Some of them are business women, some are teachers, some are social workers, and some are simply women of letters. They are all, however, united in their desire to improve the conditions of their fellow citizens.

Twelve legislative women are from one or two term veterans; candidates who were successful in their election. Most of the new members were elected in the recent legislative sessions. They are all, however, united in their desire to improve the conditions of their fellow citizens.

These new members have offered new methods of their careers, and their legislative objects, which cover most of the things from general taxation to the most intricate details of the law. In many instances, they are the only women in the legislature who have been successful in their election.

Miss Florence Effel Bohrer of Illinois, a senator, daughter of a former governor, is a member of the legislature. She is a woman of letters, and has been successful in her election.

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Mrs. Viola D. Romans of Columbus, Republican representative, is the wife of a physician. Before her marriage, she was a school teacher and afterwards became a public lecturer, traveling extensively on chautauque circuits. She has been a national lecturer for the Women's National Temperance Union.

Wisconsin. Three women became Republican members of the legislature. They are Helen M. Brooks of Coloma, Mildred Barber of Wausau, and Helen M. F. Thompson, Park Falls.

Oklahoma. Mrs. Gladys Whittier of McAlester, representative, Democrat, is principal of a high school at McAlester, and never held a political office. Miss Whittier was the first woman school teacher to be elected to the legislature.

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D. department) and fraternal organizations. Mrs. P. H. Kelley of Mitchell, Republican representative, has two children; taught school; member of child welfare commission; executive board, county Red Cross; vice president county health association; member advisory board, Mitchell public schools; chairman Dist. No. 1, League of Women Voters. Mrs. W. L. Moudie of Elk Point, Democratic representative, graduate nurse and wife of prominent physician. Had institution work in North Carolina eight years; in Indian service in Nebraska two years; active in American Legion auxiliary, of which vice president S. D. department 1924; president 1922; national executive committee woman 1923.

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The statement was based on reports received from chiefs of the immigration border patrol along the Canadian line who, in addition to guarding the border against smuggling of immigrants, are charged with enforcing the law against liquor smuggling.

"The price of Canadian liquor has gone so high," Mr. Husband said, "and the smuggling risk at the border has become so great, that the smugglers are no longer able to meet the competition of bootleggers."

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Washington, Dec. 19.—Smuggling of liquor across the Canadian border into the United States is almost at a standstill because of keen competition from rum row off the Atlantic coast, W. W. Husband, commissioner general of immigration, declared recently in a statement outlining conditions in the rum running trade. The statement was based on reports received from chiefs of the immigration border patrol along the Canadian line who, in addition to guarding the border against smuggling of immigrants, are charged with enforcing the law against liquor smuggling.

"The price of Canadian liquor has gone so high," Mr. Husband said, "and the smuggling risk at the border has become so great, that the smugglers are no longer able to meet the competition of bootleggers."

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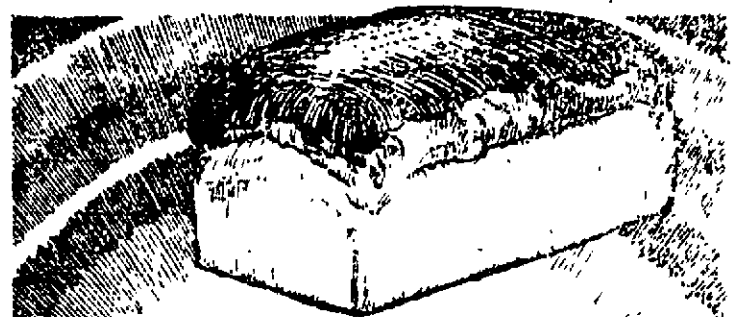
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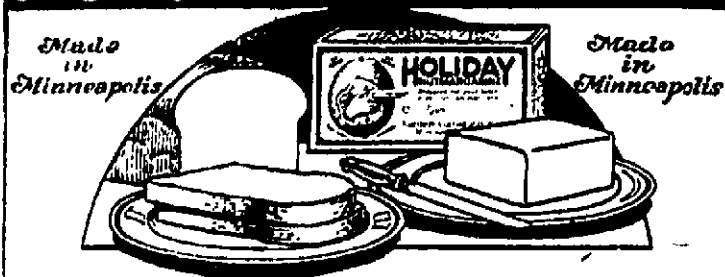
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"Labor," an organ published at Washington, is quite elated over the 4,000,000 votes cast for the third party at the recent election. Former Congressman Baer of North Dakota who is cartoonist and propagandist extraordinary for this journal, pictures the old guard dressed in the style of the Napoleonic era, excited and alarmed over this fact. The cartoon shows the hair of the old guard on end. Amusement upon every feature of the old guard and its hat soaring from the head, reflect a fright at the prospects of the third party eventually swallowing the G. O. P.

Making allowances for the enlarged poll due to woman's suffrage, and the fact that within the last twelve years many became of voting age, LaFollette polled a little more than half of President Roosevelt's popular vote in 1912. At a time too when class discontent seemed higher and promised great gains for a radical candidate. What happened is now history. Only one state, Wisconsin, long regarded as LaFollette's pocket borough, went for the so-called progressive leader.

The support given LaFollette forms no basis for a permanent Labor party such as England has under the leadership of Ramsey MacDonald. Here the Third Party proved to be no more than a factional cleavage and the elements contributing to LaFollette's vote are so diverse that no party cohesion for future battles is apparent. Labor did not support it.

LaFollette's attempt differs little from that of Granger and Populist appeals covering a period of some sixty years of our political history. There will be other outbreaks against the dominant parties. To date these political schisms have been transitory. Even in England the Labor party merely held office at the suffrage of the opposition which failed to agree upon a party program. Once the Conservatives abandoned all coalition alliances and united on a policy, it was an easy matter to sweep the MacDonald faction from power. The followers of LaFollette who pinned hope upon MacDonald's rise to power failed to study the underlying factors that contributed to his short stay.

It was declared by LaFollette backers that old parties had outlived their usefulness; that "class consciousness" could be aroused sufficiently to sweep a radical into office, but the masses cheered their agitators but voted the republican ticket in very large numbers.

Elections in England and here show that the Anglo-Saxon mind moves pretty much along the same groove politically. United States emerged out of the November elections as did England by endorsing sane and conservative progress with political ideals and temperament somewhat similar. The racial hatreds still nurtured in some sections in this country played a very inconspicuous part in this campaign, despite the efforts of LaFollette to lash them to fury.

If Labor is to build here a constructive party as in England voicing its policies, this cannot be done by trying to harness to the same political band wagon the flotsam and jetsam of all the radical factions.

Samuel Gompers for the most part steered away from political affiliations. Whether the control slipped from him in the matter of the LaFollette endorsement will be revealed as time goes on. Probably tired out and with the infirmities of age upon him, he allowed the younger heads to rush into the third party for the purpose, as one writer points out "to teach them a lesson." The American Federation of Labor probably will move more cautiously in the next national campaign.

If a Third Party is to be created, LaFollette and his followers must build anew. They can use none of the 1924 wreckage, if they hope to build toward permanency.

HAMILTON HOLT'S DEFEAT

The League of Nations' idea in one of the centers of culture, in the shadow of Yale as it were, has been emphatically rejected in the defeat of Hamilton Holt, probably the most distinguished proponent of the Wilsonian idea since the death of its author. Hiram Bingham, a Yale professor, governor-elect of Connecticut, with the backing of the Coolidge organization in that state overwhelmed his democratic opponent. Mr. Holt made the League of Nations the chief plank in his platform.

Developments in Europe point to vital weakness in the League of Nations as now constituted. In the case of Egypt, England raised the question emphatically that the issues there involved were not justiciable under the covenants of the league and promptly proceeded to deal with the matter in her own vigorous style. There have been incidents of a like nature since the league was organized.

Theoretically and from a strictly academic standpoint, the League of Nations appeals to those idealists struggling toward a realization of internationalism, a super-government where race prejudices and pride become subservient to an internationalism based upon majority rule. The idea won't work in the present stage of civilization. Centuries hence probably nations may be so constituted that they will leave settlement of international questions to a league, but this generation seems to have scant hope of realizing the dreams of the idealists who see in the League of Nations an effective antidote against war and international strife.

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Editorial Review

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SHAKESPEARE
(Miami News)

This year it is reported by Sothern and Marlowe who have just returned from an European tour, they will desert Shakespeare for this season and turn their attention to more modern dramatic productions. It is hardly conceivable, however, that these two artists have concluded to give up the bard's works for good.

No two people in the world have given finer expressions to Shakespeare's plays than E. H. Sothern and his wife, Julia Marlowe. In fact their revival some years ago gave impetus to a widespread interest in these plays and out of Sothern and Marlowe artistic and financial success many distinguished men and women of the stage resumed the interpretation of Shakespeare on the stage. The success of his plays is periodical. Sometimes it is necessary for several years to elapse before the country is ready to accept the bard's productions with the artistic success to the producers. But when an honest-to-goodness revival comes there always in sufficient response to guarantee results. Sothern and Marlowe have led the way in this respect. Others have followed and met with generous reception in all parts of the country.

What is true in America is true equally abroad. England and Germany, where Shakespeare enjoys his greatest popularity, run into years of disinterestedness on the subject and are forced to abandon their artistic success while waiting for the public mind to veer around to the point where it demands Shakespeare for a season or two.

NOT YET THE FLYING FLIVVER
(Columbus Dispatch)

England has just had a competition for light airplanes, and the display has not done anything to encourage the hope of an era of cheap airplanes for everybody. The Henry Ford of air travel has not yet made his appearance. "The small-powered airplane," says Prof. A. M. Low, an official of the competition, "is noisy, very dirty, very uncomfortable, decidedly dangerous and exceedingly unreliable."

In place of being a machine which anybody can handle, it can be operated with any considerable degree of safety only by very carefully trained and skilled pilots. Of eighteen planes entered for the British contest, only eight survived the qualifying tests, though, as Prof. Low says, "there are not many people who have a quick flying sense, and the gymnastic ability characteristic of the picked men who handled the machines in this competition."

After all, it may be questioned whether the world has anything to gain from the invention of a plane which would fill the air with adventurous fliers at an expense no greater than the cost of the cheapest automobile or of a good horse and carriage. The dangers and annoyances of such traffic would probably far outweigh any possible advantages.

ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS
BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

SNITCHER SNATCH AND THE BUTTERFLY NET

Johnny Sweep and the Twins flew along on Johnny Sweep's broom, carrying Ted's note to the North Pole.

"Let's read it," said Johnny Sweep suddenly. Nancy was so shocked at his manner that she nearly fell off the broom. "Why, Johnny Sweep?" she said. "That's not nice! Weren't you ever brought up?"

"Sure!" said Johnny. "But this is different. I was just supposing."

"I was just supposing that what if something would happen. Then what? Santa Claus would never know what Ted wants for Christmas. But if we read the note, we'll have it in our heads and then—"

"That's different," said Nancy. "Let's stop right away and see what it says."

So Johnny Sweep stopped his broom in a pine-tree and they all got off and sat in a row on a green branch and read Ted's letter. It said:

"Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a live bull pup, and ten cross-word puzzle books, and a sweater with trees and people on it, and an ice-hockey stick and about two bushels of candy."

"Your friend, 'Ted.'"

"That's not hard to remember," said Johnny Sweep. "Come on, we'll get all the notes we can and then we'll be off to the North Pole."

So they jumped on his broom again and rode away.

Every chimney they passed had a crowd of Sooties coming out of the top and hurrying away toward the North.

"My goodness!" said Johnny Sweep. "Santa Claus is going to get so many notes this year I'm afraid he'll run out of toys and—Oh, my eye! Just look!"

Johnny said "my eye" which showed that although he said he had been brought up, he hadn't been—only partly. But then, I suppose a sweep has to say "my eye." It's shown there is of him to see being all black everywhere else. Besides what he saw sort of gave him a shock. And it was his eyes that got the shock.

For there was Snitcher Snatch, the goblin, hanging onto the church steeple with one hand. He was looking with the other hand—he was catching Sooties in a butterfly net. He was so excited that his long limber nose kept wagging like a dog's tail.

"Ha, ha!" he cried. "I got a whole haulful that time. This is more fun than a barrel of monkeys."

"Oh, dear! He'll steal all the

OUT OUR WAY



By Williams

WHEN THEY GET YOUR GOAT

By Albert Apple

Did you ever fly into a rage while trying to open a window in a Pullman car? Most people do. These windows usually stick as if nailed shut or imbedded in glue.

They're intended to stick. Otherwise they would keep travelers awake by rattling or permitting drafts of air to enter around loose edges and cracks.

Posted in the corridor of a Pullman car, we find a notice instructing us to summon the porter if we want the window opened. "It's his job, anyway," says the placard.

The porter, it develops, carries a special apparatus, a lever that pries the window open easily.

So a lot of us have been annoyed, exasperated, enraged without cause.

Think it over. Isn't that the way with most of the things that "get our goat"? Nine times out of ten the trouble is in our own nerves and attitude rather than in the situations and obstacles that rule our emotions.

For instance, when a man is in a hurry, the sidewalk crowd seems in secret alliance to get in his way as much as possible. It never occurs to him that he is in other people's road quite as much as they are in his.

We blame the porter rather than the obstinate window. That is not fair. We blame the salesgirl who waits on us, if our change is slow in coming—though the clerk cannot help it.

We neglect to vote, and then make the air blue if we are not satisfied with politicians who get into office by reason of vote slackers' negligence.

We return a cross word double-measure, and are firmly convinced that the other party is entirely to blame if a quarrel results.

It's a fine alibi, the claim that something gets our goat. As a matter of fact, we usually get our own goat.

Generally, at the root of it all is nervous impatience—high blood pressure of a frantic haste without reason for it. A contented, easy-going life is in the formula: "A hundred years from now, it won't make any difference."

IN NEW YORK



New York state's training ship Newport ties up at Bedloe's Island for the winter. The cadets receive final inspection in the shadow of the Statue of Liberty. Incidentally Bedloe's Island has now become the nation's smallest National Park by presidential proclamation.

New York, Dec. 19.—Sixty girls in a sweatshop in Brooklyn were ordered to leave the building when it caught fire. They refused because they were being paid for piece-work and didn't want to lose any time. "We have faith in the firemen and we need the money for Christmas," one of them explained.

Cap Higgins, the artist who fought in the Philippines during the Spanish-American War, has purchased an old Krag-Jorgensen rifle. "I'll hang the rifle on the wall and tell visitors that I used it in Luzon," he says. "After while I'll come to believe my own story and by the time my boy inherits the rifle it will be a priceless heirloom of a very brave soldier."

Sea Captains report that compasses are affected to a very marked degree by the steel in New York's buildings.

New York City from many cold waves.

—JAMES W. DEAN.

FABLES ON HEALTH

THROAT TROUBLES

Minor throat troubles generally come to many with the approach of cold rains and first snows.

Two of the Jones children were bothered.

If there are signs of tonsillitis or the throat trouble becomes either persistent or chronic, it is best to see the doctor about it.

Otherwise a number of good home preparations can be on hand for the winter months.

Many recommend a simple solution of salt and water—the water

being quite hot. After gargling with this use a gargle of plain hot water to follow up with.

A tablespoonful of salt and a similar amount of borax in a pint of water has also been recommended. For a more elaborate preparation "old-fashioned" folk have used half a cup of vinegar and water with a slight sprinkling of pepper.

But for healing purposes some bicarbonate of soda is to be preferred, if mixed with a little salt. Outer applications of camphorated oil also have proved effective.

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The Tangle

LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO THE LITTLE MARQUISE, CARE THE SECRET DRAW-ER, CONTINUED

My tears are falling so fast, little Marquise, I can hardly see the page. I am just going to tell you that for the last few days I have been unhappy than I have ever been before in my life. I have found out that it is not the big troubles of life that hurt you beyond bearing, some way we are given superhuman strength to bear those. It is the little troubles that flay the heart with steel wire thread and cut to the innermost part of the soul.

Letter From Sally Atherton to Beatrice Summers

Dear Bee: You have probably seen in the papers accounts of the sudden death of Alice Whitney. You couldn't have gotten from them, however, the most tragic aspect of the case, for the family was able to keep that out of the news.

Bee, Alice committed suicide. For a long time she had been acting very peculiarly. She had had fits of the most terrible jealousy of Leslie and Karl. When she was herself, however, she acknowledged that her suspicions were groundless and in the last letters that she wrote, for although her death was sudden she had been contemplating it for a long while, she said, "I have at times an irresistible impulse to torture, and even kill the ones I love best."

I think she was very brave to do what she did. I think the knowledge that one is going mad is the only excuse that one might give for taking one's own life.

What I want to get off my chest are the unaccountable actions of John Alden Prescott through all this terrible time. Bee, that selfish bundle of conceit was out of town when the thing happened and he stayed away and let Leslie go through all the woe and grief alone.

He pretended that if he did not stay over to a certain meeting of his

old firm he would lose several thousand dollars. He couldn't put that over me. I knew exactly how the books balanced for I had been there all the while. It struck me rather funny as well that J. A. P. should be counting his dollars now of all times when he was stepping into a fifty thousand a year job—he who had always thrown money to the birds and spent it in other ways so lavishly.

Sydney Carton was with him when Leslie sent him the telegram and Mr. Prescott persuaded Carton to come over in his stead. Mr. Carton came and I tell you, Bee, I felt sorry for the poor man. Although I knew he did not undertake the thankless job solely for the sake of John Prescott.

I wonder that no one including Leslie herself sees that Sydney Carton is hopelessly in love with her.

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Japanese don't care for dogs as house pets, but we can't picture this as making a good dog so mad.

There are 20 women lawyers in England. We would like to hear their hair being cut by 20 women barbers.

Pumpkin Center is the name of a town in South Dakota, but we don't know why.

Harvard University is the oldest American college, dating back even to when the boys had to study.

Bamboo seeds are eaten by the Hindus, but we would be afraid they would make our joints stiff.

Our idea of a heap of joy is seeing a bowlegged girl laughing at some friend whose knees knock.

The quickest way to straighten bowlegs is to go out riding with three in a flivver coupe.

These gardenias or japonicas they are wearing will scratch your face more quickly than earrings.

There are only 75 eggs of the great auk in existence. This is because it failed to lay aside some for the future.

More-ducks are eaten in China than in any other country, which should teach them to stay away from there.

Dogs have been successfully fitted with false teeth, no doubt much to the disgust of cats.

Imagine one of these pedigreed dogs with false teeth having to hunt them before biting a burglar.

Largest statue ever cast of glass is of Shakespeare, perhaps so they could see through him.

Kangaroos are decreasing in Australia. While they last, we should import a few for traffic cops.

British imports of grapefruit are increasing, maybe because monocles protect their eyes from juice.

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A Thought

In the time of trouble he shall hide me in his pavilion: in the secret of his tabernacle shall he hide me; he shall set me upon a rock—Ps. 27:5.

It is not designed that the road should be made too smooth for us here upon earth.—Jane Porter.

English courts try about 300 brack of promise suits a year.

Social and Personal

Miss Blumer Entertained

Members of the Epworth League entertained last evening at the Methodist church parlors for Miss Clara Blumer, whose marriage to Mr. N. L. Mikkelsen of Minneapolis has been announced for December 31st. The party came as a surprise to the guest of honor who had been asked merely to attend a business meeting. The business session was very brief and was followed by the unexpected presentation to Miss Blumer of a beautiful cedar chest, being a token of regard from the organization of which she has been a member for some time. The evening was spent in social diversion. Dainty refreshments were served.

This is the third event of the month in honor of the bride-to-be.

To Give Cantata Sunday Evening

The quartette of the Presbyterian church consisting of Mrs. Frank Barnes, soprano; Mrs. Herman Scheffer, alto; Henry Halverson, tenor; and George Humphreys, baritone, are giving a cantata entitled, "Christmas Tidings," at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, December 21, at 7:30 o'clock.

The first part of the cantata deals with the prophecy and the second part deals with the fulfillment of this prophecy. There are solos, trios and numbers for the quartette which are as follows:

The Prophecy.
Baritone solo, "The Lord Thy God."

The Fulfillment of the Prophecy.
Quartette, "Blessed Night."

Soprano solo, "And There Were Shepherds."

Tenor solo, "Be Not Afraid."

Quartette, "Glory to God in the Highest."

Quartette, "Christians, Awake!"

Baritone solo, trio, and tenor recitative, "And It Came To Pass."

Soprano solo, "Immanuel Beloved Name."

Baritone recitative and quartette, "And Having Seen It."

Alto solo and quartette, "Lord, Thy Mercy, Thy Compassion."

Quartette, "Shout the Glad Tidings."

NONPARTISAN CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The Women's Nonpartisan Club No. 1, met last evening at the Old Fellows Hall and after a short business meeting, election of officers took place. All of the old officers were reelected and are as follows:

President—Mrs. C. G. Boise.
Vice-President—Mrs. H. W. Her-

man.
Secretary—Mrs. L. A. Gram.
Treasurer—Mrs. Gust Kaline.

A meeting of the Executive Committee will be held some time next week to decide the date of the next meeting as the regular meeting comes on New Year's night.

TAKES PART IN COLLEGE PLAY

Louise Huber was one of a cast of ten players that presented the three-act comedy "Adam and Eve" at Jamestown College, Tuesday evening, Dec. 16. She took an important part and did very creditable work. This play and a similar one given in the spring are the most pretentious dramatic functions of the year. An unusual number of students tried out for positions this year—thirty-six in all. The contestants were judged and the places awarded by three dramatic coaches not connected with the college.

ROWLEY RUSTLERS MEET

The Rowley Rustlers held their meeting at the home of Agnes Hultberg, Wednesday evening. At the meeting it was decided that a Christmas tree with gifts be provided for some poor family in Bismarck, who otherwise would have no Christmas.

After the business was attended to, the members sewed on Christmas gifts until ten, when a delightful lunch was served by the hostess and Mrs. Hultberg.

L. T. L. HOLD MEETING

At the regular meeting of the L. T. L. held on Wednesday afternoon at the Baptist church, Mrs. C. W. Smith had charge in the absence of Mrs. J. L. Hughes. Twenty-two scrap-books were reported completed and it was decided to give a Christmas dinner to a needy family in Bismarck.

ISSUED MARRIAGE LICENSE

Miss Alma Eugenia Fisher of this city and Joseph J. Fisher of Menoken, were issued a marriage license by the county judge yesterday, December 18.

The Weather

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TO GIVE HARD TIME DANCE

The Bismarck Canton No. 5 will give a hard time dance in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Saturday evening, December 20. Everybody is invited.

THURSDAY MUSIC CLUB MEETS

The Thursday Musical Club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. J. A. Larson as hostess.

After the business session a round table discussion on the Melodic Element in music with Mrs. Tracy as leader preceded the program. Mrs. Rosen played two piano selections, "Romance" by Schubert and "Waltzes" by Scholkeph and Mrs. Wingreen sang a duet, "On Wings of Song" by Mendelssohn.

All were ushered into a darkened room lit only by the candles on a Christmas tree. Santa Claus distributed gifts to all. Most of the gifts were accompanied by clever bits of original verse.

A Christmas lunch was served by the hostess.

SURPRISE PARTY

About twenty-five friends met at the home of Mrs. R. E. Carlander, 508 seventh street, and entertained at a surprise party in honor of her birthday. The evening was spent in playing whist, Mr. Roy Riggs winning high score. A delicious lunch was served at the close of the evening and Mrs. Carlander was presented with a card table as a token from her friends.

ST. GEORGE'S GUILD ELECTS OFFICERS

At a recent business meeting of St. George's Guild, new officers were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. O. Lundquist.
Vice-President—Mrs. E. A. Copelin.
Secretary—Mrs. T. R. Atkinson.
Treasurer—Mrs. W. G. Black.

SPEND CHRISTMAS IN CANADA

J. G. Belanger has left for L'Orignal, Ontario, Canada, to spend the holidays with his father. Enroute he stopped at Chicago to see about equipment for the Interstate Transportation Co. at the International Harvester Co.'s truck factory.

COOK BY WIRE

Instead of by Fire

CITY NEWS

Is Discovering From Illness

Mrs. T. E. Meinower, who has been confined to her home for the past week, is now out of danger.

Bismarck Hospital

Admitted to the Bismarck hospital for treatment:

Mrs. Henry Bader, Wishek; Baby Henry Bader, Wishek; Carl Bader, neared, S. D.; Luther Badwell, Shields; Mrs. William Koestner, Mannheim; Mrs. Albert Gerlinger, Bloomfield, Mont.

Discharged: Hildegard Bauer, Zeland; Alma Opal, Taylor; Blanche Gullickson, Taylor.

Birth: Mrs. William Koestner, a baby boy, Mannheim.

At The Movies

THE ELTINGE

"Captain Blood" the widely read tale of the romantic pirate, Peter Blood was given at its first screen presentation at the Eltinge theatre yesterday and is being shown again today and Saturday.

The producers have taken the popular narrative of Rafael Sabatini, and with J. Warren Kerrigan playing Captain Blood, and Jean Paige as Arabella Bishop, they have captured just about all the chivalry, combat, blood and thunder of the times of James, Rex, of England, Scotland and Ireland, as told in the book.

As the tale runs, Peter Blood is forced into piracy virtually through the methods employed against him by the English crown. But it happens that he rescues the governor-general of the West Indies from a ship on fire and keeps Jamaica out of the clutches of the French. William III succeeds James II, as king of England, and Capt. Blood's fortunes take another turn.

Olis Harlan, Charlotte Merriam, James Morrison, Allen Forrest and

Bertram Grassby, are other members of the cast.

THE CAPITOL

Director W. S. Van Dyke has finished the best Jones story picture ever, at the big William Fox West Coast Studios, Hollywood, according to consensus of all concerned, "Winner Take All" which comes with Buck to the Capitol theatre tonight is a new blend of western with metropolitan life. West on East, the play goes the pace; goes the limit. And oh, boy! Some girls! And Oh, girls! Some gowns!

The Catholic Daughters of America will hold a food, apron and fancy work sale Dec. 20th at the Quality Meat Market. All articles must be left there before 10 a. m. Sat. morning

Special Presbyterian Ladies Aid Sale. Call 951 for Delicious Home Made Fruit Cake and Mince Meat, also 3 Cook books for \$1.00.

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CHRISTMAS TIDINGS

By Berwald

Cantata by Presbyterian Quartette

At Presbyterian Church

Sunday Evening, Dec. 21, at 7:30.

THE PROPHECY

BARITONE SOLO. The Lord thy God.

THE FULFILLMENT OF THE PROPHECY

QUARTETTE. Blessed night.

SOPRANO SOLO. And there were Shepherds.

TENOR SOLO. Be not afraid.

QUARTETTE. Glory to God in the Highest.

QUARTETTE. Christians, awake!

BARITONE SOLO, TRIO, AND TENOR RECITATIVE. And it came to pass.

SOPRANO SOLO. Immanuel, Beloved Name.

BARITONE RECITATIVE AND QUARTETTE. And having seen it.

ALTO SOLO AND QUARTETTE. Lord, Thy Mercy, Thy compassion.

QUARTETTE. Shout the glad tidings.

Soprano—Mrs. Frank Barnes.

Alto—Mrs. Herman Scheffer.

Tenor—Mr. Henry Halverson.

Baritone—Mr. George Humphreys.

Organist—Mrs. R. E. Morris.

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THE STATE'S OLDEST NEWSPAPER
(Established 1873)

CHERISHING VAIN HOPES
"Labor," an organ published at Washington, is quite elated over the 4,000,000 votes cast for the third party at the recent election. Former Congressman Baer of North Dakota who is cartoonist and propagandist extraordinary for this journal, pictures the old guard dressed in the style of the Napoleonic era, excited and alarmed over this fact. The cartoon shows the hair of the old guard on end. Amaze-ment upon every feature of the old guard and its hat soaring from the head, reflect a fright at the prospects of the third party eventually swallowing the G. O. P.

Making allowances for the enlarged poll due to woman's suffrage, and the fact that within the last twelve years many became of voting age, LaFollette polled a little more than half of President Roosevelt's popular vote in 1912. At a time too when class discontent seemed higher and promised great gains for a radical candidate. What happened is now history. Only one state, Wisconsin, long regarded as LaFollette's pocket borough, went for the so-called progressive leader.

The support given LaFollette forms no basis for a permanent Labor party such as England has under the leadership of Ramsey MacDonald. Here the Third Party proved to be no more than a factional cleavage and the elements contributing to LaFollette's vote are so diverse that no party cohesion for future battles is apparent. Labor did not support it.

LaFollette's attempt differs little from that of Granger and Populist appeals covering a period of some sixty years of our political history. There will be other outbreaks against the dominant parties. To date these political schisms have been transitory. Even in England the Labor party merely held office at the suffrage of the opposition which failed to agree upon a party program. Once the Conservatives abandoned all coalition alliances and united on a policy, it was an easy matter to sweep the MacDonald faction from power. The followers of LaFollette who pinned hope upon MacDonald's rise to power failed to study the underlying factors that contributed to his short stay.

It was declared by LaFollette backers that old parties had outlived their usefulness; that "class consciousness" could be aroused sufficiently to sweep a radical into office, but the masses cheered their agitators but voted the republican ticket in very large numbers.

Elections in England and here show that the Anglo-Saxon mind moves pretty much along the same groove politically. United States emerged out of the November elections as did England by endorsing sane and conservative progress with political ideals and temperament somewhat similar. The racial hatreds still nurtured in some sections in this country played a very inconspicuous part in this campaign, despite the efforts of LaFollette to lash them to fury. If Labor is to build here a constructive party as in England voicing its policies, this cannot be done by trying to harness to the same political band wagon the flotsam and jetsam of all the radical factions.

Samuel Gompers for the most part steered away from political affiliations. Whether the control slipped from him in the matter of the LaFollette endorsement will be revealed as time goes on. Probably tired out and with the infirmities of age upon him, he allowed the younger heads to rush into the third party for the purpose, as one writer puts out "to teach them a lesson." The American Federation of Labor probably will move more cautiously in the next national campaign.

If a Third Party is to be created, LaFollette and his followers must build anew. They can use none of the 1924 wreckage, if they hope to build toward permanency.

HAMILTON HOLT'S DEFEAT
The League of Nations idea in one of the centers of culture, in the shadow of Yale as it were, has been emphatically rejected in the defeat of Hamilton Holt, probably the most distinguished proponent of the Wilsonian idea since the death of its author. Hiram Bingham, a Yale professor, governor-elect of Connecticut, with the backing of the Coolidge organization in that state overwhelmed his democratic opponent. Mr. Holt made the League of Nations the chief plank in his platform.

Developments in Europe point to vital weakness in the League of Nations as now constituted. In the case of Egypt, England raised the question emphatically that the issues there involved were not justiciable under the covenants of the league and promptly proceeded to deal with the matter in her own vigorous style. There have been incidents of a like nature since the league was organized.

Theoretically and from a strictly academic standpoint, the League of Nations appeals to those idealists struggling toward a realization of internationalism, a super-government where race prejudices and pride become subservient to an internationalism based upon majority rule. The idea won't work in the present stage of civilization. Centuries hence probably nations may be so constituted that they will leave settlement of international questions to a league, but this generation seems to have scant hope of realizing the dreams of the idealists who see in the League of Nations an effective antidote against war and international strife.

CHIMNEY
Most of the heat of your furnace goes up the chimney. Engineers, however, are learning to check this waste. Philadelphia Electric Co. installs equipment expected to establish a record by converting into steam energy 93 per cent of the heat units of its coal. It has already been done experimentally in New York.

This is an economy that would save consumers a fabulous sum if applied to ordinary household furnaces, as it will be in time. With the cream skimmed off our natural resources, economies become necessary.

Editorial Review

Comments reproduced in this column may or may not express the opinion of The Tribune. They are presented here in order that our readers may have both sides of important issues which are being discussed in the press of the day.

SHAKESPEARE
(Miami News)

This year it is reported by Southern and Marlowe who have just returned from an European tour, that they will devote Shakespeare for this season and turn their attention to more modern dramatic productions. It is hardly conceivable, however, that these two artists have concluded to give up the bard's works for good. No two people in the world have given finer expressions to Shakespeare's plays than E. H. Southern and his wife, Julia Marlowe. In fact their revival some years ago gave impetus to a widespread interest in these plays and out of Southern and Marlowe's artistic and financial success many distinguished men and women of the stage resumed the interpretation of Shakespeare on the stage. The success of his plays is perennial. Sometimes it is necessary for several years to elapse before the country is ready to accept the bard's productions with box office success to the producers. But when an honest-to-goodness revival comes there always in sufficient response to guarantee results. Southern and Marlowe have led the way in this respect. Others have followed and met with generous reception in all parts of the country.

What is true in America is true equally abroad. England and Germany, where Shakespeare enjoys his greatest popularity, run into years of disinterestedness on the subject and are forced to abandon their artistic success while waiting for the public mind to veer around to the point where it demands Shakespeare for a season or two.

NOT YET THE FLYING FLIVVER
(Columbus Dispatch)

England has just held a competition for light airplanes, and the display has not done anything to encourage the hope of an era of cheap airplanes for everybody. The Henry Ford of air travel has not yet made his appearance. "The small-powered airplane," says Prof. A. M. Low, an official of the competition, "is noisy, very dirty, very uncomfortable, decidedly dangerous and exceedingly unreliable."

In place of being a machine which anybody can handle, it can be operated with any considerable degree of safety only by very carefully trained and skilled pilots. Of eighteen planes entered for the British contest, only eight survived the qualifying tests, though, as Prof. Low says, "there are not many people who have a quick flying sense, and the gymnastic ability characteristic of the picked men who handled the machines in this competition."

After all, it may be questioned whether the world has anything to gain from the invention of a plane which would fill the air with adventurous fliers at an expense no greater than the cost of the cheapest automobile, or of a good horse and carriage. The dangers and annoyances of such traffic would probably far outweigh any possible advantages.

ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS
BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

SNITCHER SNATCH AND THE BUTTERFLY NET

Johnny Sweep and the Twins flew along on Johnny Sweep's broom, carrying Ted's note to the North Pole.

"Let's read it," said Johnny Sweep suddenly. Nancy was so shocked at his manner that she nearly fell off the broom. "Why, Johnny Sweep!" she said. "That's not nice! Weren't you ever brought up?"

"Sure!" said Johnny. "But this is different. I was just supposing."

"Supposing what?" said Nick. "I was just supposing that what if something would happen. Then what? Santa Claus would never know what Ted wants for Christmas. But if we read the note, we'll have it in our hands and then—"

"That's different," said Nancy. "Let's stop right away and see what it says."

So Johnny Sweep stopped his broom in a pine-tree and they all got off and sat in a row on a green branch and read Ted's letter. It said: "Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a live bull pup, and ten cross-word puzzle books, and a sweater with trees and people on it, and an ice-hockey stick and about two bushels of candy."

"Your friend, 'Ted.'"

"That's not hard to remember," said Johnny Sweep. "Come on, we'll get all the notes we can and then we'll be off to the North Pole."

So they jumped on his broom again and rode away.

Every chimney they passed had a crowd of Sooties coming out of the top and hurrying away toward the North.

"My goodness!" said Johnny Sweep. "Santa Claus is going to get so many notes this year I'm afraid he'll run out of toys and—Oh, my eye! Just look!"

Johnny said "my eye" which showed that although he said he had been brought up, he hadn't been—only partly. But then, I suppose a sweep has to say "my eye." It's about all there is of him to see being all black everywhere else. Besides what he saw was his eye that got the shock.

For there was, Snitcher, the goblin, hanging onto the church steeple with one hand and one foot, and with the other hand he was catching Sooties in a butterfly net. He was so excited that his long limbs were now kept wagging like a dog's tail.

"Ha, ha!" he cried. "I got a whole hatful that time. This is more fun than a barrel of monkeys." "Oh, dear! He'll steal all the

OUT OUR WAY



Is This Your Birthday

FRIDAY, DEC. 19.—Persons born this day are quite apt to throw away their energy in worthless pursuit. Few give the time to solving the problem of what they are best fitted to do. The stars say that those whose birthday it is are artistically inclined and have great inventive minds. Such a combination should lead one to great heights. You are happy when in the company of the other sex and your love affairs will be romantic and lasting.

CUT THIS OUT—IT IS WORTH MONEY

Send this ad and ten cents to Foley & Co., 2845 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive a ten-cent bottle of FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND for coughs, colds, and hoarseness, also free sample packages of FOLEY PILLS, a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys, and FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS for Constipation and Biliousness. These wonderful remedies have helped millions of people. Try them! —Adv.

Parent Eskimos never punish their children.

EVERETT TRUE

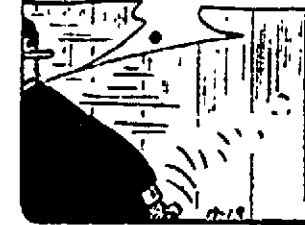
MR. DOBBS, I'M IN THE MARKET FOR A HOUSE. I NOTICE A "FOR SALE" SIGN ON YOURS. HOW MUCH ARE YOU ASKING FOR IT?



YOU CERTAINLY KNOW WHAT YOU WANT FOR IT? NAME THE FIGURE!!



HOW STUPID OF ME!! I SEE IT ALL NOW—IT'S A SECRET!!!



The Tangle

LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO THE LITTLE MARQUISE, CARE THE SECRET DRAWER, CONTINUED
My tears are falling so fast, little Marquise, I can hardly see the page. I am just going to tell you that for the last few days I have been unhappy that I have ever been before in my life. I have found out that it is not the big troubles of life that hurt you beyond bearing, one way we are given superhuman strength to bear those. It is the little troubles that flay the heart with steel wire thread and cut to the innermost part of the soul. Little Marquise, it seems to me as though I could never face the world again. I wish I were with Alice.

Letter From Sally Atherton to Beatrice Summers
Dear Bee: You have probably seen in the papers accounts of the sudden death of Alice Whitney. You couldn't have gotten from them, however, the most tragic aspect of the case, for the family was able to keep that out of the news.

Bee, Alice committed suicide. For a long time she had been acting very peculiarly. She had had fits of the most terrible jealousy of Leslie and Karl. When she was herself, however, she acknowledged that her suspicions were groundless and in the last letters that she wrote, for a long time she was very brave to do what she is doing and is the only excuse that one might give for taking one's own life.

What I want to get off my chest are the unaccountable actions of John Alden Prescott through all this terrible time, Bee, that selfish bundle of conceit was out of town when the thing happened and he stayed away and let Leslie go through all the worry and grief alone. He pretended that if he did not stay over to a certain meeting of his

old firm he would lose several thousand dollars. He couldn't put that over me. I knew exactly how the books balanced for I had been there all the while. It struck me rather funny as well that J. A. P. should be counting his dollars now of all times when he was stepping into a fifty thousand a year job—he who had always thrown money to the birds and spent it in other ways so lavishly.

Sydney Carton was with him when Leslie sent him the telegram and Mr. Prescott persuaded Carton to come over in his stead. Mr. Carton came and I tell you, Bee, I felt sorry for the poor man. Although I knew he did not undertake the thankless job solely for the sake of John Prescott.

I wonder that no one including Leslie herself sees that Sydney Carton is hopelessly in love with her. (Copyright, 1924, NEA Service, Inc.)

Japanese don't care for dogs as house pets, but we can't picture this as making a good dog so mad.

There are 20 women lawyers in England. We would like to hear their hair being cut by 20 women barbers.

Pumpkin Center is the name of a town in South Dakota, but we don't know why.

Harvard University is the oldest American college, dating back even to when the boys had to study.

Bamboo seeds are eaten by the Hindus, but we would be afraid they would make our joints stiff.

Our idea of a heap of joy is seeing a bowlegged girl laughing at some friend whose knees knock.

The quickest way to straighten bowlegs is to go out riding with three in a flivver coupe.

These gardenias or japonicas they are wearing will scarify your face more quickly than earrings.

There are only 75 eggs of the great auk in existence. This is because it failed to lay aside some for the future.

More ducks are eaten in China than in any other country, which should teach them to stay away from there.

Dogs have been successfully fitted with false teeth, no doubt much to the disgust of cats.

Imagine one of these pedigreed dogs with false teeth having to hunt them before biting a burglar.

Largest statue ever cast of glass is of Shakespeare, perhaps so they could see through him.

Kangaroos are decreasing in Australia. While they last, we should import a few for traffic cops.

British imports of grapefruit are increasing, maybe because monocles protect their eyes from juice. (Copyright, 1924, NEA Service, Inc.)

A Thought
In the time of trouble he shall hide me in his pavilion: in the secret of his tabernacle shall he hide me: he shall set me upon a rock—Ps. 27:1.

It is not designed that the road should be made too smooth for us here upon earth.—Jane Porter.

English courts try about 300 breach of promise suits a year.

WHEN THEY GET YOUR GOAT

By Albert Apple

Did you ever fly into a rage while trying to open a window in a Pullman car? Most people do. These windows usually stick as if nailed shut or imbedded in glue. They're intended to stick. Otherwise they would keep travelers awake by rattling or permitting drafts of air to enter around loose edges and cracks. Posted in the corridor of a Pullman car, we find a notice instructing us to summon the porter if we want the window opened. "It's his job, anyway," says the placard. The porter, it develops, carries a special apparatus, a lever that pries the window open easily. So a lot of us have been annoyed, exasperated, enraged without cause.

Think it over. Isn't that the way with most of the things that "get our goat"? Nine times out of ten the trouble is in our own nerves and attitude rather than in the situations and obstacles that rule our emotions.

For instance, when a man is in a hurry, the sidewalk crowd seems in secret alliance to get in his way as much as possible. It never occurs to him that he is in other people's road quite as much as they are in his.

We blame the porter rather than the obstinate window. That is not fair. We blame the salesgirl who waits on us, if our change is slow in coming—though the clerk cannot help it.

We neglect to vote, and then make the air blue if we are not satisfied with politicians who get into office by reason of vote slackers' negligence.

We return a cross word double-measure, and are firmly convinced that the other party is entirely to blame if a quarrel results.

It's a fine alibi, the claim that something gets our goat. As a matter of fact, we usually get our own goat.

Generally, at the root of it all is nervous impatience—high blood pressure of a frantic haste without reason for it. A contented, easy-going life is in the formula: "A hundred years from now, it won't make any difference."

IN NEW YORK



New York state's training ship Newport lies up at Bedloe's Island for the winter. The cadets receive final inspection in the shadow of the Statue of Liberty. Incidentally Bedloe's Island has now become the nation's smallest National Park by presidential proclamation.

New York, Dec. 19.—Sixty girls in a sweatshop in Brooklyn were ordered to leave the building when it caught fire. They refused because they were being paid for piece-work and didn't want to lose any time. "We have faith in the firemen and we need the money for Christmas," one of them explained.

Cap Higgins, the artist who fought in the Philippines during the Spanish-American War, has purchased an old Krag-Jorgensen rifle. "I'll hang the rifle on the wall and tell visitors that I used it in Luzon," he says. "After while I'll come to believe my own story and by the time my boy inherits the rifle it will be a priceless heirloom of a very brave soldier."

Sea Captains report that compasses are affected to a very marked degree by the steel in New York's buildings.

New York has very freakish weather. A western man tells me that he motored from Ridgefield, Conn., to White Plains in a snow storm the other day. It was quite cold. From White Plains into the city the sun was shining and he needed no overcoat. Amateur weather sharks claim that the bulk of water in Long Island Sound protects New York City from many cold waves.

—JAMES W. DEAN.

FABLES ON HEALTH THROAT TROUBLES

Minor throat troubles generally come to many with the approach of cold rains and first snows.

Two of the Jones children were bothered.

If there are signs of tonsillitis or the throat trouble becomes either persistent or chronic, it is best to see the doctor about it.

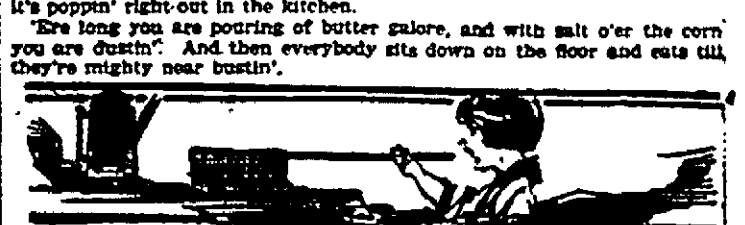
Otherwise a number of good home preparations can be on hand for the winter months.

Many recommend a simple solution of salt and water—the water being quite hot. After gargling with this use a gargle of plain hot water to follow up with.

A tablespoonful of salt and a similar amount of borax in a pint of water has also been recommended.

For a more elaborate preparation "old-fashioned" folk have used half a cup of vinegar and water with a slight sprinkling of pepper.

But for healing purposes some bicarbonate of soda is to be preferred, if mixed with a little salt. Outer applications of camphorated oil also have proved effective.



WHEN it's chilly outdoors and you're stayin' inside and the evening is growin' forthin', I wonder how often you gladly have tried to pop up by poppin' some corn.

The popper comes out and the corn is poured in. Then a grain on the stove's set afire. And then, as you shake, will this poppin' begin as the heat sort of seeps through the wire.

The popper pop draws the family around and for shares in the corn they're itchin'. You never can fool 'em; they all know the sound when it's poppin' right-out in the kitchen.

Ere long you are pouring of butter salore, and with salt o'er the corn you are dustin'. And then everybody sits down on the floor and eats till they're mighty near bustin'.

Sports

YANKS FEARED MOST BY WILLY CONNIE MACK

By NEA Service

Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—Connie Mack says that any one who figures the New York Yankees out of the 1925 race are making a big mistake. "The Yankees are going to be a different ball club next season," says the astute Mr. Mack. "I look for them to show a spirit that was lacking last season. "Too much success made the Yanks overconfident, caused them to be careless at times, in the belief they could step out and win when the pinch arose. "The setback the team received is sure to pay for good. The strength of the team is too well known to need comment. "I regard the Yankees as the most dangerous club in the American League, the team that must be beaten to win a pennant."

Collins Tries Four Positions Before Starring at Second

Eddie Collins, generally rated as the best second baseman in the history of the game, looked anything but a good fielder when he joined the Philadelphia Athletics. Collins was fast, looked as if he might develop into a good hitter, and was smart. That is why Mack strung along with him despite his fielding faults. Collins came into his own as a second baseman in 1909. The year previous he was tried out at three other positions, third base, shortstop and the outfield before being used at second. Mack's patience helped make Collins a star after most managers would have weakened on him.

Tyger Infield Cobb's Problem

By NEA Service

Detroit, Dec. 19.—George McBride, former star shortstop and manager of the Washington club, is to be Ty Cobb's assistant at Detroit next season. In selecting an infielder for this job, Cobb is altering his system of previous years, when a veteran catcher has been his first lieutenant in matters of strategy. Dan Howley, who managed the Toronto Internationals with great success last summer, served Cobb in such a capacity for two years. Since the departure of Howley, Fred Carisch, old time big league catcher, has assisted. Cobb feels that his infield is his big problem. Weakness at every position, with the possible exception of first base, has handicapped the Tigers. The Detroit leader is hopeful that McBride will be able to bolster up the Tiger's inner defense. Rigney, a great prospect at shortstop, has stood still for about two years. Cobb, who in his first year as manager said Rigney would soon rank as one of the greatest infielders in the game, has almost weakened on the Texan. "If McBride polishes up the play of Rigney in its weak spots, he will have earned his salary," is the view point of Cobb.

The Nut Cracker

It is said Paavo Nurmi was very much surprised on learning he was not to run against one of the Bryan brothers. A charity boxing show in New York yielded \$22,000 for the poor. The Millennium can't be far away.

This has been an unusual December, remarks the weather man. Come to think of it Babe Ruth hasn't been pinched for speeding this month.

Judge Landis and Ban Johnson have been asked to kiss and make up. We wish they'd shut up, anyway.

There is little difference between a baseball war and the other kind. Both depend largely on gas.

They're holding an arms parley in Rome and we are astonished to hear Bonsett Reese is not there.

The strange thing about the two-headed deer seen in the Maine woods was that Battling Siki did not originate the report.

The middleweight division seems determined to say it with Flowers, first name Tiger.

Players in the American Association next year will wear numbers, and bottle-tossing fans will be expected to call their shots.

Harry Wills was once given away for a hat, if you want to know how the brown derby gag started.

It seems that after all these years Tommy Gibbons has finally found a five letter word meaning FIGHT.

Coveleskie has gone to Washington to take Walter Johnson's place. Try and tie that for optimism.

TODT FOR FIRST BASE
Manager Lee Fohl says he intends to start Phil Todt at first base for the Boston Red Sox next year. Todt is a left-handed batsman and thrower. He fields the position much after the manner of Hal Chase and is regarded as a great prospect.

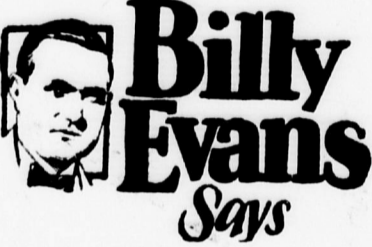
COLLINS FINALLY NAMED SOX MANAGER

Smartest Player in American League Has Been Repeatedly Ignored by Owner Comiskey When in Quest of New Leader for Chicago Americans

Eddie Collins has finally been named manager of the Chicago White Sox.

Why the delay, Mr. Comiskey? Collins is conceded to be the smartest ball player in the American League. Despite this the Chicago club has repeatedly ignored him when in quest of a new manager. Clarence Rowland, Kid Gleason, Frank Chance and Johnny Evers were all given the preference over Collins as manager of the White Sox.

Last season during the month that Collins handled the club while Evers was ill, the White Sox played by far the best ball of the year. When Evers returned the club immediately slumped. The Sox finished last. No doubt the success of Cobb, Speaker, Sisler and Harris as playing managers, finally induced Comiskey to give Collins his chance. Why Comiskey delayed his appointment so long will always be one of the mysteries of baseball. Collins came to the White Sox from the Philadelphia Athletics. Connie Mack picked him up as a collegian at Columbia University. Under Mack, Collins developed into the greatest second baseman of all time.



More about the college star and big league baseball.

Manager Lee Fohl of the Boston Red Sox, who has championed some highly touted collegians, has some definite views as to their status.

"I'm not wild about the college star," says Fohl. "My chief objection is that too few of them take the game seriously."

"The money involved, rather than the love for the game, is the motive of a majority in taking up big league baseball."

"When you pick up a sandlot star with promise, the salary question is his last thought. He is delighted with the chance to make good."

"On the other hand, when you start talking business with the college star, his first question is usually about how much he is to get for signing."

"His next thought is a two-year contract that prevents you from sending him to the minors for much needed experience."

Fohl's contention is that a college player who comes to the majors in such a manner, lacks the proper incentive to make good. He has his club tied up, so why worry. There is no doubt about Fohl being right.

Fohl also points out another feature where the attitude of the collegian works against team harmony. "One year on a major league club that I managed we had a college star who had been given a neat sum of money for signing," says Fohl.

"That was good business on his part. On the same club that year we had a half dozen minor league recruits, all of whom had more real ability than the much touted collegian. Not one of them had received a nickel for signing."

"Much to my embarrassment, the collegian took great delight in reading the news about the rookie players as to his salary and what he had received for putting his name to a contract."

"He wasn't content with being lucky enough to get the money, he insisted on telling the world about it. As a result, I had a lot of disgruntled recruits among the minor leaguers."

Fohl's thought is that the educated ball player takes up the professional game as a sideline rather than as a means of livelihood. Of course there are exceptions, like Eddie Collins and George Sisler.

Lee Fohl is conservative because he believes it is wise, and it is. Last spring when I asked him for a prediction as to his club's showing, he would only say: "We won't finish last."

He made good his prophecy, his team finished seventh, just a few points out of sixth. The other day when I asked him about 1925, his reply was:

"We are going to beat last year's record."

Fohl looks for a close race in the American League. He thinks Manager Harris of Washington has a big task ahead of him to repeat about it.

The Red Sox leader is fully aware of the strength of the Yankees and the Tigers and warns everybody to keep their eye on Connie Mack's club.

NEEDS INFIELD STRENGTH
Stanley Harris intends to make every effort possible to bolster up his infield for the coming season. In Mike McNally he gets a clever fielder but a weak hitter. Harris says he is looking for fielding strength.

MCANUS WILL STAY
George Sisler says that he has no intention of trading Second Baseman Marty McManus. He's a great ball player and the Browns need him. He is the way Sisler sizes up the situation.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN
Minneapolis, Dec. 19.—Wheat receipts 172 cars compared with 201 cars a year ago. Cash No. 1 northern \$1.68 7-8 to \$1.73 7-8; No. 1 dark northern spring choice to fancy \$1.86 7-8 to \$1.99 7-8; good to choice \$1.76 7-8 to \$1.86 7-8; ordinary to good \$1.70 7-8 to \$1.76 7-8; No. 1 hard spring \$1.71 7-8 to \$1.99 7-8; No. 1 dark hard Montana on track \$1.72 7-8 to \$1.89 7-8; to arrive \$1.72 7-8 to \$1.89 7-8; December \$1.69 7-8; May \$1.74.

Corn No. 3 yellow \$1.21 to \$1.23; oats No. 3 white, 55 3-4; barley 74 to 91 cents; rye No. 2, \$1.40 1-2; flax No. 1, \$3.02 1-2 to \$3.05 1-2.



EDDIE COLLINS

Pawned Clothes To Purchase Gas For Stolen Car

Minot, N. D., Dec. 19.—Because they were unable to secure work to replenish their penniless pockets, and anxious to return to their families residing near Chicago, J. C. Kelley and J. B. Wilson, both aged 23, stole an automobile in Minot belonging to Ward A. Johnson, intending to abandon it near their homes with a tag on it telling where it was stolen, according to a story alleged to have been related to Sheriff A. S. Spicher of Minot yesterday from Menominee, Wis., to face a larceny charge in Ward county court.

The two men declare that they pawned their clothes at intervals to purchase gasoline for the car, and reaching Menominee minus funds they entered a residence while the family was absent and pilfered enough food for a meal. As they were leaving, however, the family was returning and saw them, and furnished a description of the pair to the sheriff at Menominee who took them into custody in the possession of the automobile.

Both Kelley and Wilson left their homes toward last summer, working at various kinds of jobs through the southwestern states, along the Pacific coast and thence east from Washington to Montana and North Dakota. While at Billings, Montana, the two men declare they lost all the money they had saved over the earnings which they had sent to their families. Reaching Minot, they were despondent and failed in an endeavor to secure jobs which would bring them enough money to pay their fares home, and decided to "borrow" the car, the larceny of which is now charged to them.

Sheriff Spicher, accompanied by the two men, drove the car to Fargo and then stored it in a garage when the roads became impassable, due to snow. The officer and the two defendants arrived in Minot yesterday afternoon over the Great Northern.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, County of Burleigh. In District Court, Fourth Judicial District.

Bismarck Motor Company, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. R. F. Jager, Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a special execution to me directed and delivered and now in my hands, issued out of the Clerk's office of the Fourth Judicial District Court in and for the County of Burleigh, and State of North Dakota, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant.

I have levied upon the following described personal property located in the City of Bismarck, Burleigh County, North Dakota, and described as follows, to-wit:

One White Model 20 Ton Truck No. 2972305, together with the box, cab and platform installed thereon and attached thereto and made a permanent part of such truck.

I shall, on Tuesday, the 30th day of December, 1924, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, Burleigh County, North Dakota, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named defendant in and to the above described personal property to satisfy the said judgment and costs, amounting to the sum of \$2,915.50, with interest thereon at the legal rate from and after the 19th day of December, 1924, together with accrued costs and accruing costs in this execution and sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Bismarck, North Dakota, this 19th day of December, 1924.

ALBIN HEDSTROM, Sheriff of Burleigh County, N. D. O'HARE & CO., Attorneys for Plaintiff, Bismarck, North Dakota.

12-19-19

SIX CLUBS AFTER SHOCKER
Every club in the American League, except Detroit, made a bid for Shocker at the recent meeting. Cobb and Shocker do not speak as they pass, so the manager of the Tigers wasn't at all interested in the star pitcher of the Browns.

FERTILIZER
Lawn fertilizer should be applied now. Order yours today. Wachter Transfer Co.

READ TRIBUNE WANT ADS.

CROPS WORTH \$139,000,000 YET ON FARMS

(Continued from page one.)
In North Dakota and 19 per cent of the durum, 20 per cent of the spring wheat in Minnesota and 15 per cent of the durum.

Value Set at \$139,000,000
The data indicates, according to grain men, that there are 50,000,000 bushels of wheat on farms still to be marketed, 8,000,000 of flax, 3,000,000 of rye, 33,000,000 of oats, 20,000,000 of barley and 10,000,000 of corn. As the percentage of oats, corn and barley marketed depends upon livestock factors, the estimates for these grains cannot be final in any degree.

The amounts for each grain multiplied by the Minneapolis cash prices, less an average freight charge, gives the figure \$139,000,000.

In addition to this amount there is the grain owned by farmers in storage in country and terminal elevators. There is no available estimate on this. The Monarch Elevator Company survey shows that with spring wheat in storage the percentage owned by the farmers is high.

FARM VALUE OF 1924 CROP
IN N. W. STATES \$1,348,204,000
Washington, Dec. 19.—The farm value of the 1924 crop of the four northwest states was placed at \$1,348,204,000 by the federal department of agriculture recently.

The products included by the department in the calculation are wheat, corn, oats, barley, rye, flax, buckwheat, potatoes and tame and wild hay.

Following are the values on the farm of the principal crops in Minnesota, the Dakotas and Montana, prepared by the department of agriculture:

All Wheat—Minnesota, \$47,437,000; North Dakota, \$169,619,000; South Dakota, \$142,672,000; Montana, \$61,968,000.

Winter Wheat—Minnesota, \$2,860,000; South Dakota, \$1,400,000; Montana, \$13,507,000.

Barley—Minnesota, \$107,386,000; North Dakota, \$17,382,000; South Dakota, \$79,992,000; Montana, \$9,106,000.

Oats—Minnesota, \$82,205,000; North Dakota, \$33,611,000; South Dakota, \$39,220,000; Montana, \$9,331,000.

Rye—Minnesota, \$12,722,000; North Dakota, \$14,414,000; South Dakota, \$9,015,000; Montana, \$1,592,000.

Flaxseed—Minnesota, \$15,913,000;

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North Dakota, \$32,419,000; South Dakota, \$9,587,000; Montana, \$5,191,000.
Buckwheat—Minnesota, \$573,000; North Dakota, \$108,000.
Potatoes—Minnesota, \$11,975,000; North Dakota, \$4,664,000; South Dakota, \$2,795,000; Montana, \$2,833,000.
Tame Hay—Minnesota, \$40,262,000; North Dakota, \$12,456,000; South Dakota, \$14,952,000; Montana, \$22,600,000.
Wild Hay—Minnesota, \$17,992,000; North Dakota, \$12,487,000; South Dakota, \$15,171,000; Montana, \$5,222,000.
The government calculation is based on the farm price December 1.

FOLEY PILLS REACHED THE SORE SPOT
Mrs. Ellen Reighard, South Fork, Pa., writes: "I had been suffering with my kidneys and nothing seemed to touch the aching spot until I procured FOLEY PILLS, with wonderful results." FOLEY PILLS, a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys, gently and thoroughly flush and cleanse the kidneys and help to eliminate poisonous waste matter. Try a bottle today and you will be well pleased with the relief obtained. The use of FOLEY PILLS increases kidney activity.

MANDAN WANTS RAT CAMPAIGN
Mandan has no anti-rat campaign, but wants one.

It was reported today that a father and son saw a rat go under a corn shock in a barn at their place in the east end. They knocked it over and with clubs killed 17 of 20 rats.

Infestation was reported in the eastern part of Mandan, cold weather driving rats from the dump ground to dwellings and barns.

Chimney Burned Out
The fire department was called to the home of Roy Corwin about 3:30 o'clock yesterday. The chimney burned out. No damage was done.

Have your clothes dry-cleaned, pressed and repaired for Xmas. City Cleaners & Dyers. Phone 770.

FERTILIZER
Lawn fertilizer should be applied now. Order yours today. Wachter Transfer Co.

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Happy New Year

Sugar, 11 pounds, \$1.00

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Cranberries, while they last, per quart, 42c

3 large packages Post Toasties, or Home Brand Corn Flakes, 42c

Primrose Coffee, regular value 55c, per pound, 42c

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All nuts such as Filberts, Brazilians, Almonds, and other nuts, cheap.

Christmas Trees, 6 to 8 feet long, 50 to 75c

Old Time Mixed Christmas Candies, per pound, 18c

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The above is also true in buying a watch. We know all makes of watches, and are competent to pass judgement on them. It's a Swiss watch you will find here a competent Swiss watchmaker to give service on it.

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Diamonds and diamond set jewelry our specialty.

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What could be a better Christmas present than sound dependable insurance to protect your family, your investments, your business. Let H. T. Murphy lend a helping hand to you and yours.

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Sports

YANKS FEARED MOST BY WILY CONNIE MACK

By NEA Service
Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—Connie Mack, the only manager who figures the New York Yankees out of the 1925 season, is taking a big mistake. The Yankees are going to be a first-class team next season. Mack's estimate of the Yankees is a mistake. Mack's estimate of the Yankees is a mistake. Mack's estimate of the Yankees is a mistake.

Collins Tries Four Positions Before Starring at Second

Laddie Collins, generally rated the best second baseman in the history of the game, looked anything but a good fielder when he joined the Philadelphia Athletics. Collins was a first baseman as he might develop into a good hitter, and was a first baseman as he might develop into a good hitter, and was a first baseman as he might develop into a good hitter.

Tyger Infield Cobb's Problem

By NEA Service
Detroit, Dec. 19.—George McBride, former star shortstop and manager of the Washington club, is to be Ty Cobb's assistant at Detroit next season. In selecting an infielder for this job, Cobb is altering his system of previous years, when a veteran catcher has been his first lieutenant in matters of strategy.

The Nut Cracker

It is said Phavo Nurni was very much surprised on learning he was not to run against one of the Brown brothers. A charity boxing show in New York yielded \$22,000 for the poor. The Millennium can't be far away. This has been an unusual December, remarks the weather man. Come to think of it, Babe Ruth hasn't been pitched for spending this month.

NEEDS INFIELD STRENGTH

Starley Harris intends to make every effort possible to bolster up the infield for the coming season. In Mike McNally he gets a clever fielder but a weak hitter. Harris says he is looking for fielding strength. McMANUS WILL STAY George Siler says that he has no intention of trading Second Baseman Marty McManus. He's a great ball player and the Browns need him. He is the way Siler sizes up the situation.

COLLINS FINALLY NAMED SOX MANAGER

Smartest Player in American League Has Been Repeatedly Ignored by Owner Comiskey When in Quest of New Leader for Chicago Americans

Eddie Collins has finally been named manager of the Chicago White Sox. Why the delay, Mr. Comiskey? Collins is conceded to be the smartest ball player in the American League. Despite this the Chicago club has repeatedly ignored him when in quest of a new manager.



EDDIE COLLINS

Billy Evans Says

More about the college star and big league baseball. Manager Lee Fold of the Boston Red Sox, who has championed some highly touted college players, has some definite views as to their status.

Pawned Clothes To Purchase Gas For Stolen Car

Minot, N. D., Dec. 19.—Because they were unable to secure work to replenish their penniless pockets, and anxious to return to their families, a young man and woman, J. C. Kelley and J. B. Wilson, both aged 25, stole an automobile in Minot belonging to Ward S. Johnson, intending to abandon it near their homes with a tag on it telling where it was stolen, according to a story alleged to have been related to Sheriff A. S. Spieker of Minot who returned the pair to Minot yesterday from Menomonie, Wis., to face a larceny charge in Ward county.

DOG TRAVELS 3,000 MILES TO DAKOTA HOME

Valley, N. D., Dec. 19.—During the fall of 1923 Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Runyon left the Dr. Macdonald farm located north of Oriska in their automobile and drove to Los Angeles, California. They took with them their eight year old Scotch Collie dog. Without any mishap they reached their destination and located it near their homes with a tag on it telling where it was stolen, according to a story alleged to have been related to Sheriff A. S. Spieker of Minot who returned the pair to Minot yesterday from Menomonie, Wis., to face a larceny charge in Ward county.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgage executed and delivered by Williamson Mortgage Company, a Corporation of Lisbon, North Dakota, Mortgage No. 1,000,000, dated and recorded in Book 121 of Mortgages at page 260, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in said mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. on the 24th day of January, 1925, to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage at the date of sale. The premises are described as follows: Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW 1/4, SW 1/4) and the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW 1/4, NW 1/4) and Lot Fourteen and Five (4 and 5) of Section Fourteen and 15 in Township One Hundred Forty Four (144) North of Range Seventy Six (76) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, Burleigh County, North Dakota.

CROPS WORTH \$139,000,000 YET ON FARMS

(Continued from page one.)
In North Dakota and 19 per cent of the durum, 29 per cent of the spring wheat in Minnesota and 15 per cent of the durum.
Value Set at \$139,000,000.
The data indicates, according to grain men, that there are 50,000,000 bushels of wheat on farms still to be harvested, 8,000,000 of flax, 3,000,000 of rye, 33,000,000 of oats, 20,000,000 of barley and 10,000,000 of corn. As the percentage of oats, corn and barley marketed depends upon livestock factors, the estimates for these grains cannot be final in any degree.

FARM VALUE OF 1924 CROP

IN 4 N. W. STATES \$1,348,264,000
Washington, Dec. 19.—The farm value of the 1924 crop of the four northwestern states was placed at \$1,348,264,000 by the federal department of agriculture recently. The products included by the department in the calculation are wheat, corn, oats, barley, rye, flax, buckwheat, potatoes and tame and wild hay.
Following are the values on the farm of the principal crops in Minnesota, the Dakotas and Montana, prepared by the department of agriculture:
All—Wheat—Minnesota, \$47,437,000; North Dakota, \$169,619,000; South Dakota, \$12,677,000; Montana, \$6,048,000.
Spring—Wheat—Minnesota, \$44,607,000; North Dakota, \$169,619,000; South Dakota, \$44,272,000; Montana, \$5,561,000.
Winter—Wheat—Minnesota, \$2,860,000; North Dakota, \$1,400,000; Montana, \$13,507,000.
Corn—Minnesota, \$107,386,000; North Dakota, \$17,282,000; South Dakota, \$79,992,000; Montana, \$9,106,000.
Oats—Minnesota, \$83,205,000; North Dakota, \$53,611,000; South Dakota, \$39,220,000; Montana, \$9,331,000.
Barley—Minnesota, \$20,181,000; North Dakota, \$21,702,000; South Dakota, \$14,334,000; Montana, \$2,139,000.
Rye—Minnesota, \$12,722,000; North Dakota, \$14,414,000; South Dakota, \$3,015,000; Montana, \$1,592,000.
Flaxseed—Minnesota, \$15,913,000.

JOINT-EASE FOR Stiff, Swollen Joints Rheumatic or Otherwise

Says: "When Joint-Ease Gets In—Joint Agony Gets Out"
It was a high-class pharmacist who saw prescription after prescription tallied to help hundreds of his customers to get rid of rheumatic swellings and stiff inflamed joints. And it was this same man who asserted that a remedy could and would be compounded that would make creaky, swollen, tormented joints work with just as much smoothness as they ever did. Now this prescription, rightly named Joint-Ease, after being tested successfully on many obstinate cases, is offered through progressive pharmacists to the millions of people who suffer from inflamed joints that need limbering up. Swollen, twinged, inflamed, stiff, pain-tormented joints are usually caused by rheumatism, but whatever the cause Joint-Ease soaks right in through skin and flesh and gets right to and corrects the trouble at its source. Remember Joint-Ease is for ailments of the joints, whether in ankle, knee, hip, elbow, shoulder, spine or finger, and when you rub it on, you may expect speedy and gratifying results. It is now on sale at druggists everywhere for 60 cents a tube. Always remember, when Joint-Ease gets in joint agony gets out—quick. Mail orders filled, cash or C. O. D. Pope Laboratories, Hallowell, Maine. —Ad.

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North Dakota, \$23,410,000; South Dakota, \$9,587,000; Montana, \$5,191,000.
Buckwheat—Minnesota, \$773,000; North Dakota, \$108,000.
Potatoes—Minnesota, \$11,975,000; North Dakota, \$4,664,000; South Dakota, \$2,795,000; Montana, \$2,433,000.
Tame Hay—Minnesota, \$40,242,000; North Dakota, \$12,466,000; South Dakota, \$14,092,000; Montana, \$22,600,000.
Wild Hay—Minnesota, \$17,902,000; North Dakota, \$12,487,000; South Dakota, \$15,171,000; Montana, \$5,202,000.
The government calculation is based on the farm price December 1.

FOLEY PILLS REACHED THE SORE SPOT

Mrs. Ellen Reighard, South Fork, Pa., writes: "I had been suffering with my kidneys and nothing seemed to touch the aching spot until I procured FOLEY PILLS, with wonderful results." FOLEY PILLS, a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys, gently and thoroughly flush and cleanse the kidneys and help to eliminate poisonous waste matter. Try a bottle today and you will be well pleased with the relief obtained. The use of FOLEY PILLS increases kidney activity.

MANDAN WANTS RAT CAMPAIGN

Mandan has no anti-rat campaign, but wants one. It was reported today that a father and son saw a rat go under a corn shock in a barn at their place in the east end. They knocked it over and with clubs killed 17 of 20 rats. Infestation was reported in the eastern part of Mandan, cold weather driving rates from the dump ground to dwellings and barns.

Chimney Burned Out

The fire department was called to the home of Roy Corwin about 3 o'clock yesterday. The chimney burned out. No damage was done.

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